



Docket No.: 1046.1248

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kaoru SHIMAMURA

Serial No. 09/809,109

Group Art Unit: 3641

Confirmation No. 8921

Filed: March 16, 2001

Commissioner for Patents

Examiner: Matz, Daniel R.

For: SYSTEM FOR SELLING GOODS

AMENDMENT

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 10, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on September 10, 2003. A Petition for an Extension of Time for One Month is filed concurrently herewith, extending the due date for responding to the Office Action to October 10, 2003. Therefore, this Amendment is timely filed by Certificate of Mailing dated October 10, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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		FEE	CALCUL	ATION (fees effective 1	0/01/03)			
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Number Extra			Calculations	
TOTAL CLAIMS		24	-	26 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS		10	-	10 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =		0.00	
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>September 10, 2003</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)): If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$320.00)							\$110		
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1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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